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Application No. 10/789.994 Applicant Jenspeter Rau Confirmation No. 9673 Filed March 2, 2004 TC/A.U. 1756 Examiner Stephen D. Rosasco Customer No. 54500 Docket No 3000 0032C Title Method For Forming An Opening In a Light-Absorbing Laver On a Mask ISSUE FEE TRANSMITTAL IN RESPONSE TO THE NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE MAILED FEBRUARY 15, 2007, ENCLOSED ARE ✓ Issue Fee Transmittal (Form PTOL 85b) Other: _____ THE FEES HAVE BEEN CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS: ☐ Issue Fee: \$1400.00 \boxtimes Publication Fee (\$300): \$300.00 Other Fees: \$ Total Fee Due: \$1700.00 Credit card payment has been submitted concurrently with the filing of this transmittal.

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